

## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT BRANCH

Washington, D.C. 20570

## Via email

December 1, 2022

Re: FOIA Request NLRB-2023-000334

Dear Mr. Hank Sims (Lost Coast Communications):

This is in response to your request, under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, received on November 15, 2022, in which you seek the records in the docket specifically the Charge, the initial letters to the Charged and Charging parties, the US District Court Order – Subpoena, the Complaint and Notice of Hearing, the Answer to Complaint and the RD Order in *Joseppi's LLC d/b/a Arcata Theatre Lounge*, Case No. 20-CA-292430. You assumed responsibility for the processing of your request in the amount of \$37.00.

We acknowledged your request on November 15, 2022.

A search of the Agency's electronic casehandling system, NxGen, has been conducted. This search has yielded the requested records, from the requested case file (18 pages), which are attached. No information has been withheld. Your request is, therefore, granted in full. Please note the US District Court Order – Subpoena is available through the link on our public website: <a href="https://www.nlrb.gov/case/20-CA-292430">https://www.nlrb.gov/case/20-CA-292430</a>. Because this record is publicly available, I have not included it in the records being provided here.

For the purpose of assessing fees, we have placed you in Category C, as a representative of the news media, in that you qualify as a person "actively gathering news for an entity that is organized and operated to publish or broadcast news to the public." NLRB Rules and Regulations, 29 C.F.R. § 102.117(d)(1)(vii). Accordingly, there is no charge assessed for this request.

You may contact Teresita Sanabria, the FOIA Specialist, who processed your request, at (202) 273-4000 or by email at Teresita.Sanabria@nlrb.gov, as well as the Agency's FOIA Public Liaison, for any further assistance and/or to discuss any aspect of your request. The FOIA Public Liaison, in addition to the FOIA Specialist, can further explain responsive and releasable agency records, suggest agency offices that may have responsive records, and/or discuss how to narrow the scope of a request in order to minimize fees and processing times. The contact information for the FOIA Public Liaison is:

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After first contacting the Agency, you may additionally contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA dispute resolution services it offers. The contact information for OGIS is:

Office of Government Information Services National Archives and Records Administration 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS College Park, Maryland 20740-6001 Email: ogis@nara.gov

Telephone: (202) 741-5770 Toll free: (877) 684-6448 Fax: (202) 741-5769

You may obtain a review of this determination under the NLRB Rules and Regulations, 29 C.F.R. § 102.117(c)(2)(v), by filing an administrative appeal with the Division of Legal Counsel (DLC) through FOIAonline at: https://foiaonline.gov/foiaonline/action/public/home or by mail or email at:

Nancy E. Kessler Platt Chief FOIA Officer National Labor Relations Board 1015 Half Street, S.E., 4th Floor Washington, D.C. 20570 Email: DLCFOIAAppeal@nlrb.gov

Any appeal must be postmarked or electronically submitted within 90 days of the date of this letter. Any appeal should contain a complete statement of the reasons upon which it is based.

Please be advised that contacting any Agency official (including the FOIA Specialist, FOIA Officer, or the FOIA Public Liaison) and/or OGIS does not stop FOIA Request NLRB-2023-000334 December 1, 2022 Page 3

the 90-day appeal clock and is not an alternative or substitute for filing an administrative appeal.

Sincerely,

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Attachment: (18 pages)